

What is claimed is:

1 1. In a laundry drier including a base forming a bottom of a body, a front
2 cabinet forming a front side of the body, a pair of opposing lateral cabinet sides, a back cover
3 forming a rear side of the body, a top cover installed on an upper part of the body, a filter
4 cover installed in rear of the front cabinet, a connection duct having an entrance side
5 connected to the filter cover, and a blower installed to be connected to an exit side of the
6 connection duct, an apparatus for preventing a gap between a blower housing of the blower
7 and the connection duct comprising a pressing member provided between the front cabinet
8 and the connection duct to push the connection duct toward the blower to make the
9 connection duct adhere closely to the blower housing.

1 2. The apparatus as claimed in claim 1, wherein the pressing member is formed
2 of an elastic body giving a pushing force attributed to an elastic restoration force to the
3 connection duct when receiving elasticity to be compressed between the front cabinet and the
4 connection duct.

1 3. The apparatus as claimed in claim 2, wherein the elastic body is a rubber.

1 4. The apparatus as claimed in claim 1, wherein the pressing member is an
2 elastic member selected from the group consisting of a coil spring and a plate spring.

1 5. The apparatus as claimed in claim 1, wherein the pressing member is a non-
2 elastic body having a thickness greater than an interval between the front cabinet and the

3 connection duct when the connection duct is brought tight contact with the blower housing.

1 6. The apparatus as claimed in one of claims 1 to 5, wherein the pressing
2 member is attached to the front cabinet.

1 7. The apparatus as claimed in one of claims 1 to 5, wherein the pressing
2 member is attached to the connection duct.